DEWAN BAHADUR L. VENKITAKRISHNAN: (*a*) Rs. 2,841.

(*b*) Road work in 1117 and Bridge work in 1119 M. E.

(*c*) Due to some changes found necessary during execution in the alignment of the road and in the design of the bridge.

(*d*) Expected to be completed within a year.

Cross road in Muvattupuzha taluk from Pampakuda.

29. ***MR. K. M. PAUL:** Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether the course of the central cross road in Muvattupuzha taluk from Pampakuda to the western frontier has been finally fixed;

(*b*) whether they intend bridging the Muvattupuzha river in the course of the above road; and

(*c*) if so, the site chosen for the same?

DEWAN BAHADUR L. VENKITAKRISHNAN: (*a*) There is no proposal to cut the central cross road from Pampakuda to the Western Frontier.

(*b*) and (*c*) These do not arise in view of answer to part (*a*).

Village road passing through Payippara, Manary and Iramalloor.

30. ***MR. K. M. PAUL:** Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether representations have been received from the people of Mulakoor, Eramalloor and Kothamangalam pakuthies regarding the village road passing through Payippara, Manary and Iramalloor karas, branching from the 134th mile of the M. C. road and joining the A. M. road at the 119th mile; and

(*b*) if the answer to part (a) is in the affirmative, whether any action has been taken so far?

DEWAN BAHADUR L. VENKITAKRISHNAN: (*a*) No.

(*b*) This does not arise in view of answer to (*a*).

Irrigation Works.

31 ***MR. K. M. PAUL:** Will the Government be pleased to state the total amount spent on irrigation works in the Muvattupuzha taluk for the year 1119 and the separate items under which these amounts have been spent?

DEWAN BAHADUR L. VENKITAKRISHNAN: A *statement furnishing the information is laid on the table.

Nagercoil Municipality.

32 ***MR. P. S. NATARAJA PILLAI:** Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) whether the Vice-Chairman of the Nagercoil Municipality presented a petition to Government in September 1944 alleging grave irregularities against the then Municipal Commissioner of that Municipality; and

(*b*) if so, whether any enquiry was held on it and the result of that enquiry?

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MR. C. P. GOPALA PANICKER : (*a*) Yes.

(*b*) The petition was sent to the Chairman and the Commissioner for report. It was decided that no action was called for on the materials before Government.

MR. P. S. NATARAJA PILLAI : May I know is there any allegation of corruption against the officer in question ?

MR. C. P. GOPALA PANICKER : No Sir,

Mavelikara Municipal Office.

33. * MR. K. K. CHELLAPPAN PILLAI : Will the Government be pleased to state whether a plan for the Municipal Office, Mavelikara has been submitted for sanction, if so, with what result ?

MR. C. P. GOPALA PANICKER : No plan has been received. Certain proposals for the repair of the existing office building have been received and they are under consideration.

MR K. K. CHELLAPPAN PILLAI : May I know when will the decision be made with regard to the scheme ?

MR. C. P. GOPALA PANICKER : We are awaiting a reply from the Chairman of the municipality.

Village Unions.

34. *MR. E. K. MADHAVAN : Will the Government be pleased to state the number and names of Village Unions in the State : (i) where members are elected ; and (ii) where members are only nominated ?

MR. C. P. GOPALA PANICKER : (i) In the following 13 Village Unions, members are partly nominated and partly elected :—

1. Kadiapattanam.
2. Arudesam.
3. Kadakkavoor.
4. Karunagapally.
5. Cheppad (Veliakuzhi).
6. Mylapra.
7. Vadakkekara.
8. Kozhimukkoo.
9. Madapally.
10. Thiruvarppu.
11. Koothattukulam.
12. Muvattupuzha.
13. Kothakulangara.

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1. Thazhakudy.
2. Suchindram.
3. Eraniel.
4. Arumana.
5. Balaramapuram.
6. Kazhakuttam.

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